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Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 03495-0206-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Boursaux-Eude and Guiso-Maclouf) Group Art Unit: 1645
Application No.: 09/855,754) Examiner: Navarro, A. M.
Filed: May 16, 2001) Confirmation No.: 8881
For: POLYPEPTIDES CONTAINING)
POLYMORPHISMS OF THE REPEATED)
REGIONS OF PERTACTIN IN *BORDETELLA*)
PERTUSSIS, BORDETELLA)
PARAPERTUSSIS, AND BORDETELLA)
BRONCHISEPTICA, THEIR USE IN)
DIAGNOSTICS, AND IN IMMUNOGENIC)
COMPOSITIONS)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

In reply to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment dated July 14, 2004,
please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims at pages 2-18.

Remarks begin at page 19.